



RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.116
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE
EXAMINING GROUP 1621

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APPLICANT: MICHAEL BENJE - 1 (PCT)
SERIAL NO: 09/936,335 EXAMINER: E. PRICE
FILED: SEPTEMBER 12, 2001 GROUP: 1621
TITLE: METHOD OF PRODUCING ETHYLENE (DI)CHLORIDE (EDC)

RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION

MAIL STOP AF
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P.O. Box 1450
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Final Office action dated April 7, 2004,
Applicant respectfully requests consideration on the basis of the
following remarks which begin on page 2 of this paper.